

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, Virginia 22313

**PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED
APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

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Applicants petition the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office under 37 CFR 1.137(b) to revive the present application.

The national stage of the present application was due to be entered in the United States on or before July 23, 2005, 30 months from the international priority date of January 23, 2003.

It was only recently, when reviewing files, that the Applicant realized that they had inadvertently neglected to file the International Application as National Phase filing in the United States. As a result, they do not have an application for the material

filed in the International Application. They then confirmed that they had intended all along to file such an application and instructed the undersigned to immediately determine whether anything could be done to revive the unfiled U.S. national stage application. The undersigned informed the Applicant that the instant Petition to Revive was applicable to the fact situation of the instant application. The Oath & Declaration, appropriate copies and this Petition were immediately prepared, and are filed herewith.

It is apparent that the lack of filing of a national stage U.S. patent application was clearly inadvertent, and that the entire delay in filing from July 23, 2005 to the instant filing attached herewith was unintentional. The grant of this petition is respectfully requested.

Authorization to charge my Deposit Account **\$1500** for this petition and any other charges is hereby granted. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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